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MATRIMONIAL.

Married people will please read to wit:

Single ones can read the first line, then the

third, then the second, and finally the fourth

in each verse:

That man must lead a happy life,

Who's freed from matrimonial chains,

Who's sure to suffer for his pains,

Adam could find no solid peace,

When Eve was given for a mate,

Until he saw a woman's face,

Adam was in a happy state.

In all the female face appears

Hypocrisy, deceit and pride;

Teeth, darning of a bestial sin,

Never known to woman to reside.

What tongue is able to unfold

The falsehood that in woman dwells;

The worth in woman we behold

Is almost imperceptible.

Cursed be the foolish man, I say,

Who changes from his singleness;

Who will not yield to woman's way

Is sure of perfect blessedness.

COMMON SCHOOLS IN KEN-

TUCKY.

Read Before the Eighth Congressional

Teachers' Institute, Stanford, Ken-

tucky, July 24th, 1872.

BY E. TARRANT.

The present aspect of Common Schools

in Kentucky is discouraging, but far from

being hopeless. Many obstacles present

themselves in the way of a successful op-

eration of the Common School system.

One of the most prominent of these is a

want of unity among the people. Even

among the true friends of education,

many diverse opinions exist. We all

seem more or less to be surrounded by a

fog, groping for some path to lead us to

light.

A want of system in conducting Com-

mon Schools in the rural districts is a

very serious impediment to their advance-

ment. Visit the schools, and but few

will be found to be conducted by the same

method. It is a lamentable fact, that

in many localities in our

State of Kentucky, there ap-

pears a general lethargy among the

people. Many seem to be

content with the status quo, and

Washington Irving's image

of the "Catskill Mountain

shepherd" is difficult to awaken them to

the spirit of the times de-

velopments. In educational

work, we have stumbled over since

we have done his teacher's whiffy

method. They are opposed to

first-class school houses, because

the recollections are associated

with rude buildings and puncheon

benches, and by doing so, it would sever

the link that connects the morning to

the noon and evenings of their lives.

Some, on being clothed with brief author-

ity, by being made trustees, have been

known to exercise that authority by ar-

bitrarily requiring teachers to "keep

loud schools, because it was the fashion

of some favorite "schoolmaster" when

they were boys. Among this class will

be found those who object to giving teachers

remunerative salaries, because the

laborer in the field has to be contented

with small wages. We have even known

some very feeble object to their children

being too highly educated for fear it

would make them more "knowing than

cultivated, useful citizens, instead of a

large number being vicious, lawless loaf-

ers. What may be said of a community

is equally applicable to a State or nation;

its law-breakers and non-producing mem-

bers are its greatest tax.

The theory of our government is that

every citizen is a sovereign. Sovereignty

is said to be the highest power; how im-

portant it is, then, that this power should

be enlightened! If we wish for the sta-

bility of our institutions we must educate.

In the dim past Lycurgus, the Spar-

tan law giver laid down this principle:

"The youth belong to the State, and the

State is responsible for their training."

Upon this fundamental tenet his code of

laws was founded, and here was the se-

cret of Sparta's strength and for many

years her ascendancy. The same general

principle seems slowly spreading through-

out civilization at the present day.

Monarchical Europe is beginning to

appreciate the fact that the safety and

prosperity of its governments depend

upon the intelligence of the mass of its

citizens. To her superior system of pub-

lic schools, Prussia owes the command-

ing position she now holds as one of the

first powers of the world.

From the general "signs of the times,"

what then is the prospective condition of

Common Schools in Kentucky? We pre-

sent a bright future. Every indica-

tion shows that we are now in the dawn

of a better era.

It is now generally conceded that the

fanner, mechanic and laborer stand in

as much need of a scientific education as

the professional man. Here and there

already you can see comfortable and some-

times beautiful school houses springing

up where teachers are employed not on

account of their cheapness, but for their

capacity and fitness for the place. Even

in the most benighted neighborhoods, in-

dividuals can be found who are anxious

to cast off the relics of barbarism and

commence the work of reform and im-

provement. The great thinking minds

of the State are tending in favor of uni-

versal education. The ablest educators

and our highest school officers are com-

ing down from lofty theorizing to prac-

tical work in the "rank and file." They

are determined that ignorance shall not

always be a reproach to a State so glori-

ous in the memory of the past. Against

all opposition they are determined to re-

new our educational interests from their

present depressed condition, and put them

on an equal footing with our more fa-

vorited sister States.

We live in an age of progress. The

Rip Van Winkles of the present day

might as well attempt to stop the wheels

of time, as the car of progress. Though

self interest, ignorance, prejudice and

many other obstacles may loom up before

it, the skillful equiver will view the

way, workmen lay the track, and as

useless as thought it moves onward.

"For here, as always, it continues true

that the deepest stream is the stillest, and

that, as in the fable, the mild shining of

the sun shall silently accomplish what

the fierce blustering of the tempest

in vain essayed."

To the friends of the Common School

system throughout the State we would

say, then, do not become weary and faint-

SCRAPS.

We have had several water famines in

Stanford. Pipes from Buffalo spring

would avoid them hereafter.

Ex-Senator Warner and ex-Chief Jus-

tice Rice, of Alabama (Republicans),

have declared for Greeley and Brown.

It is reported that the Geneva Tribu-

nal will award £1,500,000 for damages

sustained through the Florida and Ala-

bama.

The Maine clerks at Washington have

been sent home to electioneer for Grant,

with two month's leave of absence, sala-

ries and expenses paid.

In a shooting affray between two men

named Lawson and Snook, near Owens-

boro, Tuesday of last week, the latter

was shot and seriously injured.

Iron shingles have been recently pat-

ented, and are said to be less expensive

than slate. They are made about six by

thirteen inches in size, and fasten with

headless nails.

Metallic roofs are said to be the best

safeguards against lightning, as the roof

instantly distributes the electric fluid

over its surface, and by so doing pre-

vents all danger.

Donn Platt says there are two seasons

in which our Administration seeks repose

from its gigantic labors; one is that

which precedes the holiday, and the other

that which follows.

Connecticut is credited with the laziest

fisherman. The individual in question

is a "Fifteenth Amendment," who ties his

fish line to his dog's tail, and when he

gets a bite kicks his dog.

It is estimated that something annually

kill 150,000 children annually, which

must be anything but a soothing state-

ment to the mothers who put their chil-

dren to sleep by their use.

The Louisville Courier-Journal poeti-

cally remarks: "In Montgomery, Ala-

bama, the other day, four negroes got on

a spree, one took out his little jackknife,

and now there ain't but three."

They do business with dispatch in

Texas. A man in a certain neighbor-

hood, who had lost a valuable mare, re-

ceived the following by telegraph: "Man-

ner. Come get her. Thief hung."

A girl at Osgood, Iowa, whose ears are

grown up, has no method of hearing ex-

cept through her mouth. When a young

man is talking she keeps saying "yes,"

for fear lest he might propose to her and

she not hear it.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT.

HORACE GREELEY,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

B. GRATZ BROWN,
OF MISSOURI.

FOR CONGRESS.

M. J. DURHAM,
OF BURLINGAME.

DEMOCRATIC ELECTORS

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SPECIE PAYMENT.

The sudden resumption of specie payment would inevitably result in bankruptcy to the country and to individuals. Hence, we are now, and have been since the war, opposed to it. In this opposition, we do not take issue with our own, or the Liberal party. It would matter not, however, if these parties did differ from our view; for we intend to be independent enough to oppose what we conceive to be wrong and impolitic, regardless of party dictation. The Liberal Democratic platform says on this subject: "A speedy return to specie payments is demanded alike by the highest considerations of commercial morality and honest government."

This is all that the platform says on that subject. We do not controvert the fact, but how speedily that "return" should be, is a question which no man, however far-seeing, is capable of judging. What does the platform mean by this plank? Simply that a return to specie payments should be made at the earliest practicable date, and not immediately, as the Radical papers and speakers have alleged. Hon. Stanley Matthews, of Cincinnati, a Grant orator, says Greeley is in favor of an immediate return. Mr. Matthews has no authority for this charge except the sentiment of the Liberal platform as set forth in the plank referred to. Mr. Greeley and the Liberal and Democratic parties too, are not such idiots as to fail to see that an immediate return to specie payments, under existing circumstances, would inevitably work a national disaster and individual bankruptcy and ruin. But let us ask—in what respect do the Liberal-Democratic parties differ from the Republican party on this question? The fact is they do not differ at all; for we find that in the latter clause of the 13th plank of the Republican platform, the following words occur: "We confidentially expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy return to specie payment."

Now, according to the logic of Stanley Matthews, his own party are in favor of immediate resumption; else why do they proclaim to the country through their party platform, that they "confidentially anticipate a speedy return to specie payment" on account of the "excellence of our national currency"? The fact is, we all desire to see the day speedily come, when gold and silver will be the only legal tender; but no American citizen, we trust, is so fool-hardy as to desire that the law should be forced upon the country in times like the present, or at any other time before the government and the people are ready for it. To force it upon people who have made contracts under existing laws, and thus compel them to pay debts in gold and silver which they expected to liquidate in "national currency," or legal tender paper money, would be an "impairing of the contracts" and a "violation of the law."

We are told that in some of the States and Territories gold and silver are the only kinds of money in circulation, and that the people there do not suffer evil consequences. What of that? Of course these persons contracted and contract, knowing just what to expect, and their situation is not at all similar to those in States where gold and silver are not in circulation, but kept in banks and brokers' offices as things of commerce or traffic. If you buy a horse to-day for \$200—executing your note for him three months after date, and, meantime, specie payment is resumed—made law of the land—you are sued at the maturity of the note for \$200, gold or silver, and made to pay in one or the other of these kinds of coin. Would such a law be equitable, just, or constitutional? We think not. How then, you ask, are we ever to resume specie payment with safety to the people, and without violating the constitution? Easy enough. When we shall have determined to resume, let the law be made applicable to future obligations only—never to those which exist at the time. To our thinking, this is the only just and proper plan. If any one knows of a better way, then we should like to hear from him.

THE CLUB MEETING.

The report of the second meeting of the Greeley Club last Saturday evening, furnished us by the secretary, Judge Phillips, is so full, that we hardly need make further comment upon it. The opening remarks of Colonel Hill, though brief, were of a character to inspire the hearts of every true lover of his country. He is among the warmest and most consistent supporters of the Liberal movement and ticket; and that party, in consideration of his fidelity to principle, honored him with an important mission on their State Executive Committee. A Democrat by birth, education and principle; he is still willing, heartily, to join hands with our Liberal allies, and this should be the aim and desire of all of us. We also admire what the secretary says of Judge Sauley's speech, and although he was called unwarned, his remarks satisfied all who heard him that he too, is willing to bury the animosities of the past, and to take a part so active, long, and earnestly, and once more restore our great country to that peace and prosperity which all true patriots desire.

NOT YET.

The Radicals have not yet "trotted out their bug" for the Congressional race. We know, of course, that they have been waiting to see who the Democrats would nominate, and to see and hear that some one or more of the Democratic aspirants for the nomination would bolt and run away.

JUDGE PRYOR.

This gentleman is elected to the Court of Appeals by a very large majority. Let this teach all bolters a serious lesson.

THE CENTRAL GREELEY CLUB.

The Central Greeley Club will meet again next Monday. Come one, come all.

SECOND CLUB MEETING.

EDITORS INTERIOR JOURNAL:

The Central Greeley Club met the second time at 3 o'clock P. M. on last Saturday, in the courthouse, with a fair attendance, and the addition of a goodly number of new members. Hon. T. W. Varnum in the chair.

On motion of H. T. Harris, it was resolved that the secretary, on behalf of the Club, notify Gen. George B. Hodge, Democratic elector for the State at large, that the Club invites him here on Monday next, county court day in Stanford, to address the people of our town and county. It was also moved and seconded that Col. T. P. Hill, of this place, act as alternate, to address the people at the same time and place, which resolution was adopted heartily.

Mr. Hill then moved, and it was resolved, that when the Club adjourned, it be to meet again on county court day, for the purpose of holding a general county meeting, to take into consideration the propriety of holding a grand Congressional District Jubilee for the 8th district, and to invite distinguished men from the North, who will be in attendance on the peace jubilee at Louisville, to address the meeting.

The Chair appointed a committee to solicit the furnishing of campaign documents, etc., for the use and benefit of the Club from the National Committee. Calls being made for Judge Sauley, he came forward and delivered a brief but pointed and elegant speech, which was applauded throughout. Judge S. is a young man of fine, logical, and captivating powers as a speaker, and his voice should be heard on many occasions between now and the November election. At the close of his speech Colonel Hill moved, and it was resolved that H. T. Harris also address the people at Stanford on next county court day. The rolls being opened for signatures, the names heretofore mentioned were added to the Club. The meeting then adjourned.

Quite a number of black men were in attendance, who seemed to enjoy the speeches very much. Col. Hill, who had so feelingly alluded to their race, and past and future condition, and that of Judge Sauley, who had told them some wholesome truths. On motion the Club adjourned to meet next Monday.

T. W. VARNUM, Pres't.

J. M. PHILLIPS, Sec'y.

THE SAVANNAH RIOT.

The recent disgraceful scenes in the streets of Savannah, Georgia, where a serious riot occurred between the whites and blacks, afford still another evidence of the dastardly misrule and teachings of carpet-bag ruffianism and military supremacy. The cause of this bloodshed arose from an effort of the blacks to force themselves into a social equality with the whites by riding in the street cars by their side. Grant's government—Grant's carpet-bag rulers and military straps, have introduced and fostered this spirit among the black people. Yet there are Democrats who will not vote for the only man who could defeat him for a second term of continued misrule! The election of Greeley would be an end to this kind of strife. The election of Greeley would put a stop this war of races. The adoption of the Liberal-Democratic platform, with Greeley at the Helm of State, would give peace, not only to our wronged and long suffering people of the South, but to our whole country. Yet there will assemble a little cove of Democrats at Louisville in September, who, with the motto "rule or ruin" blazoned upon their banners, will endeavor to check or subvert the only movement which promises a cure for all our national woes and ills.

COL. T. W. VARNUM.

The Greeley Club at this precinct has been quite fortunate in the selection of a presiding officer, and Col. Varnum also may feel proud to occupy the highest position in a body of patriotic citizens who have laid aside all party prejudices and determined to rally to the country's rescue. Col. Varnum, with a ripe experience in parliamentary proceedings, gained by a term of years in our State Legislature, presides over this body with that good sense and dignity which characterizes the true parliamentarian. His speech on the occasion of his selection to the position at our first meeting of the Greeley Club, satisfied all who heard it that Mr. Greeley has no friend more true than he, and our country no purer patriot. Aside from this, his words of wisdom and true counsel, and his remarks on the secret machinery of the government at Washington, showed that he is well posted in all the nefarious workings of the present administration. The Club feel honored in having him as a presiding officer.

THE COMING VICE PRESIDENT.

The speech of Gov. Brown at Frankfort the other day was a masterly review of the political situation; and by far the most pointed speech of the Campaign, not even excepting the admirable efforts of Schurz, Voorhees, and Sumner. To defeat such a man with the cobler of Natick, would be a stain upon American civilization. We do not believe the people will so act.

ELECTION LAST MONDAY.

The majority of Judge Durham in this Congressional District will not fall far short of 1200—and it may even be greater than that. Next week, we will give the returns of all the counties in the district.

LET EVERY GOOD AND TRUE DEMOCRAT.

Liberal Republican vote for Judge Durham next November. He is the regular Democratic nominee, and a zealous advocate of Horace Greeley's election.

THE SHERIFFS.

W. G. Saunders, present incumbent, was re-elected sheriff of our county on Monday last, by a majority of 588.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

The small-pox continues to prevail to a considerable extent at Flemingsburg. Mr. J. J. Hickman is rapidly recovering from his recent severe spell of sickness.

The act to prohibit the sale of liquor in Marion county was defeated by a considerable majority.

Kentucky is the only State in the world in which voters declare their choice between candidates *en bloc*.

The State Teachers' Association will convene in Frankfort next Monday, and continue in session five days.

The Kentucky Conference of the M. E. church will meet at Harrodsburg, September 4th—Bishop Kavanaugh presiding.

At the coming Congressional and Presidential elections, the voting in this State will, for the first time, be done by ballot.

Merced county elected a Democratic Sheriff by a majority of 268. A difficulty occurred at Cornishville, in which one man was killed.

The persons arrested for the murder of Remus Gooch in Madison county have been discharged. The whole affair is shrouded in mystery.

Kentucky is to be disgraced by another public murder. The execution of Ayers will take place at Monticello, on the 30th of this month.

Rev. G. H. Robertson, has agreed with the Elders of his church to return to Louisville for trial, which will take place at an early day.

There is to be a National peace reunion at Louisville on the 11th and 12th of September, under the auspices of the Democratic and Liberal Republican parties.

The next annual meeting of the Kentucky Sunday School Convention will take place at Louisville, beginning on the 20th of this month and continuing in session two days.

The people of Garrard county are to vote on the 19th of August upon the question of a subscription to the Cincinnati Southern railroad to the amount of \$80,000.

A new paper has been started at Berryville, Harrison county. It is edited and published by E. S. Moore, a boy of 18. It claims to have the largest circulation of any paper in Harrison.

W. L. Caldwell, (Dem) was elected Sheriff of Boyle county, by about fifty majority over Linney, (Rad). The small majority was owing to an unfortunate split in the Democratic party.

The Radicals carried Garrard county in the race for Sheriff by a majority of about 115. The Democrats fought nobly but the Radicals "just naturally" had the voters there to beat "em with."

The publication of the Warsaw News has been suspended for want of adequate support. Mr. Rucker, the proprietor, we are informed, expects soon to start a paper at Lancaster. We wish him success.

The bill to prevent the sale of ardent spirits in Pulaski county in less quantities than thirty-five gallons, was defeated by a large majority. The election passed off quietly and but a small vote polled. In the primary election, Hoskins received 497; Tolbert 116, and Durham 132.

"W. J. Lusk, of Lancaster, Ky., suffered a stroke of apoplexy while on his way from Indianapolis to Cincinnati Saturday. He was taken off the cars at Rushville where he died. Being a Mason he was taken in charge by the fraternity there. On his person was found \$800 in cash, and \$9,000 in notes."

We find the above going the rounds in several of our exchanges. Mr. Lusk is not dead, but alive and well. The unfortunate man was Samuel Holmes, of this county, who had on his person, at the time, a letter addressed to Mr. Lusk, and this is what led the Rushville people to think his name was Lusk.

GRAND JUBILEE AND PICNIC.

On Monday next the citizens of this county will meet in the court-house at one o'clock, to consider the propriety of holding a grand jubilee and barbecue or picnic—a Greeley and Brown meeting. It is proposed to make it a congressional district meeting, in which all the adjoining counties of the same, and as many others as choose, may join. Being on the railroad, accessible from all parts of the district, Stanford is the best point for meeting. Excursion or special trains, with half fare from all points, could be arranged, and it would be one of the grandest political meetings ever held in Kentucky. It is proposed to hold it the first Saturday succeeding the peace jubilee at Louisville, which would enable us to invite and fully anticipate the attendance of several distinguished speakers among the Liberals—Banks, Schurz, Trumbull, etc., and from the Democrats—Voorhees, Hendricks, &c. Our friends from Madison, Boyle, Mercer, and our neighbors from Garrard, Casey, Marion, Rockcastle, and all others who could, would, we know, come with full baskets. Such a gathering would do much good. Let all come, old and young, black and white. But more, after the meeting.

FOR CONGRESS.

At the Primary election held in this District on Monday last; Hon. M. J. Durham received a majority of about 1200 over Mr. Hoskins, and a majority of about 2500 over A. G. Talbot. He is, therefore, the nominee of the Democratic party, and hence we place his name at the head of our columns for Congress. Let every true Democrat and Liberal Republican, cast his vote for Judge Durham in November next.

THE SHERIFFS.

W. G. Saunders, present incumbent, was re-elected sheriff of our county on Monday last, by a majority of 588.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Speaker James G. Blaine addressed a letter of some length to Senator Sumner, in answer to the recently published letter of the latter to the colored men. To which Sumner replied in a brief and forcible manner. The presumption is that the Speaker will not be permitted to do so foolish a thing again during the campaign. Max Strakosch and Patti will sail for the United States from Havana, aboard the Ville de Paris, on the 18th. Nilsson is passing her honeymoon in Paris. Ben Butler says if Greeley is elected "all that was gained by the war will be lost." Butler is evidently getting uneasy about his spoons. If you will look into the Grant organs you will find that all "our colored fellow-citizens" are for Grant, and all the "niggers" for Greeley. The Trustees of the Cincinnati Southern Railroad on Thursday sold \$150,000 of the Southern Railroad bonds, being the first installment of the ten millions to be devoted to that purpose. Seventeen thousand emigrants sailed from Liverpool for this country during the month of July. In reply to Speaker Blaine, Senator Sumner says: "For myself, I say plainly, and without hesitation, that I prefer Horace Greeley, with any Congress possible, on the Cincinnati platform, to President Grant with his pretensions and his rings." In Louisville on Monday the regular Democratic nominees were beaten by what is known as the citizen's ticket. The Henderson Reporter, the last remaining Bourbon among country newspapers of Kentucky, has at last pronounced for Greeley and Brown. Every town in Maine has a Greeley club. Gen. Farnsworth, of Illinois, and Col. Tilman, of Tennessee, are out for Greeley. A bloody riot occurred in Quebec, Canada, on Monday last. Still further trouble is feared. Nearly all the young men in New England, who are to vote for the first time this fall, are announcing themselves for Greeley. Many prominent colored men have addressed a letter to Hon. Charles Sumner, expressing a determination to accept his advice and to support Greeley. Senator Doolittle is doing a little in Maine. Maryland, my Maryland, has Greeley clubs among the negroes which already number 8,000 members. Extract from Hon. Henry Wilson's North Carolina speech: "The people of the United States are looking upon this vote of North Carolina as the settlement of the Presidential contest. Vermont election Tuesday, September 3; Maine election Monday, September 9. Mr. Greeley, with his family, left New York for Rhode Island on Saturday.

More About Mr. Holmes' Death. We clip the following from the New Albany Ledger. We can hardly credit the suspicion that Mr. Holmes had been foully dealt with, for had this been true, he was a man of too much sense and nerve not to have communicated that fact to some one after getting on the train at Indianapolis. The conductor of the train told his friends that when he got aboard he did not notice anything wrong in his speech. However, we do not know but there might be some truth in the report, and it is well enough to look it up.

There died yesterday, at Rushville, a gentleman apparently about fifty-five years of age by the name of Samuel Holmes. Mr. Holmes was from Stanford, Kentucky, a station on the Louisville branch of the Louisville and Nashville railroad. It seems from what could be gathered that he was a trader in cattle, and was in the habit of going West to buy up stock. On his person was found \$1,000 in \$100 bills, and about \$95 in small bills. No facts could be gathered from the Louisville and Nashville branch of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, by which he was very reticent. Memoranda were found on his person going to show that he had several dollars on extra baggage from Champaign, Illinois, with the number of baggage check, but no check could be found. It was supposed from the memoranda that he had but recently several thousand dollars in his possession, and that the calculations of interest on notes found upon his person made him a lender of money to an amount of \$50,000. 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The long continued drought in the section of Baltimore is not only proving destructive to crops, but is threatening cities like Baltimore with a water famine. There has been no rain in that city of any consequence since early spring, and the reservoirs are all drying up. As the water becomes less in quantity, it also becomes more impure in quality, and the fears for the health of the city are becoming widespread. All the Baltimore papers recommend earnest and constant prayer, the only reliance now, from threatened perils in this direction.

"My dearest uncle," says a humorous writer, "was the most polite man in the world. He was making a voyage on the Danube, and the boat sunk. My uncle was just on the point of drowning. He got his head above the water for once, took off his hat and said, 'Ladies and gentlemen, will you please excuse me?' and down he went."

Be Cautious.
Be careful how you speak of others, as you might undertake to remove a friend for some not to do understand, and your reproach might be considered an imputation of malicious defamation.—Sir Walter Love.

With the distinct understanding that if elected I shall be the President not of a party but of the whole people, I accept your nomination, in the confident trust that the masses of our countrymen, North and South, are eager to across the bloody chasm which has too long divided them, forgetting that they have been enemies in the joyful consciousness that they are and must henceforth remain brethren.—Horace Greeley's acceptance Liberal nomination.

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THE PLACE TO GET
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On LANCASTER STREET, above the old National Bank building.

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Etc., Etc.

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of the patronage of this community, we beg to say that our stock was selected with a view to the wants and necessities of FAMILIES, and especially the FARMER.

OUR GOODS ARE ALL FRESH AND
DESIRABLE, AND WE START
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WITH A DETERMINATION
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By any house in
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Brick! Brick! Brick!

Brick for Sale!

ADAMS & WATHEN,
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Are prepared to furnish brick, in any desired quantities, at

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They have now on hand 200,000 superior made brick. Send them your orders.

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We also desire to buy wheat, for which we will pay the highest market price in cash, or exchange fresh family groceries.

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TO My Customers.
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Made and trimmed on short notice.
A large stock of FASHIONABLE MILLINERY, NOTIONS, &c., on hand and ready to suit the times.

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At the LOWEST prices for CASH.

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I ALSO WILL CONTRACT TO FURNISH material and erect buildings on the most favorable terms. All orders left at the store of Dunn & Owsley, or Asher Owsley's, will receive prompt attention.

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THE SOUTHERN
MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
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Office, S. W. Cor. Third and Jefferson Sts., Louisville, Ky.
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THE COMPANY CONTINUES TO INSURE LIVES ON ALL THE WELL tried, and approved plans. It avails all FANCY SCHEMES as expensive and fidelity.

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The POLICY which the Company issues has been carefully revised, and is fully up to the most advanced position of life insurance. Its provisions are at once definite, and comprehensive all that the Company or directly engages to do, and as liberal as consistent with prudence.

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\$1,000,000
GRAND GIFT COUPON
At Library Hall, Louisville
Saturday, Sept.

1,000 GIFTS.
Highest Gift \$100,000.

By authority of the Legislature of Kentucky the Trustees will give their SECOND GRAND GIFT COUPON, in the Public Library building, at Louisville, Ky., September 22nd, 1872, by the board of the Public Library of Kentucky. The best musical talent will be employed, and one hundred thousand tickets of admission sold.

PRICE OF TICKETS:
Whole tickets \$10; halves \$5; quarters \$2 50; 10 whole tickets for \$100, 20 for \$200, 100 for \$1,000, 200 for \$2,000, 500 for \$5,000, 1,000 for \$10,000.

During the term of the concert the tickets will be sold at the following rates:
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$100,000
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$50,000
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$25,000
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$10,000
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$5,000
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$2,500
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$1,000
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$500
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$250
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$100
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$50
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$25
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$10
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$5
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$2
1 Grand Gift, Cash, \$1

After paying the expense of the entertainment, the net proceeds of the concert will be applied to the purchase of the balance of the public library building, at the following reduced tariff of rates: \$20 and under \$100, \$10; \$100 and under \$200, \$15; \$200 and under \$500, \$20; \$500 and under \$1,000, \$25; \$1,000 and under \$2,000, \$30; \$2,000 and under \$5,000, \$35; \$5,000 and under \$10,000, \$40; \$10,000 and under \$20,000, \$45; \$20,000 and under \$50,000, \$50; \$50,000 and under \$100,000, \$55; \$100,000 and under \$200,000, \$60; \$200,000 and under \$500,000, \$65; \$500,000 and under \$1,000,000, \$70; \$1,000,000 and under \$2,000,000, \$75; \$2,000,000 and under \$5,000,000, \$80; \$5,000,000 and under \$10,000,000, \$85; \$10,000,000 and under \$20,000,000, \$90; \$20,000,000 and under \$50,000,000, \$95; \$50,000,000 and under \$100,000,000, \$100; \$100,000,000 and under \$200,000,000, \$105; \$200,000,000 and under \$500,000,000, \$110; \$500,000,000 and under \$1,000,000,000, \$115; \$1,000,000,000 and under \$2,000,000,000, \$120; \$2,000,000,000 and under \$5,000,000,000, \$125; \$5,000,000,000 and under \$10,000,000,000, \$130; \$10,000,000,000 and under \$20,000,000,000, \$135; \$20,000,000,000 and under \$50,000,000,000, \$140; \$50,000,000,000 and under \$100,000,000,000, \$145; \$100,000,000,000 and under \$200,000,000,000, \$150; \$200,000,000,000 and under \$500,000,000,000, \$155; \$500,000,000,000 and under \$1,000,000,000,000, \$160; \$1,000,000,000,000 and under \$2,000,000,000,000, \$165; \$2,000,000,000,000 and under \$5,000,000,000,000, \$170; \$5,000,000,000,000 and under \$10,000,000,000,000, \$175; \$10,000,000,000,000 and under \$20,000,000,000,000, \$180; \$20,000,000,000,000 and under \$50,000,000,000,000, \$185; \$50,000,000,000,000 and under \$100,000,000,000,000, \$190; \$100,000,000,000,000 and under \$200,000,000,000,000, \$195; \$200,000,000,000,000 and under \$500,000,000,000,000, \$200; \$500,000,000,000,000 and under \$1,000,000,000,000,000, \$205; \$1,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$2,000,000,000,000,000, \$210; \$2,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$5,000,000,000,000,000, \$215; \$5,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$10,000,000,000,000,000, \$220; \$10,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$20,000,000,000,000,000, \$225; \$20,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$50,000,000,000,000,000, \$230; \$50,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$100,000,000,000,000,000, \$235; \$100,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$200,000,000,000,000,000, \$240; \$200,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$500,000,000,000,000,000, \$245; \$500,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$1,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$250; \$1,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$2,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$255; \$2,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$5,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$260; \$5,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$10,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$265; \$10,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$20,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$270; \$20,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$50,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$275; \$50,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$100,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$280; \$100,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$200,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$285; \$200,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$500,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$290; \$500,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$1,000,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$295; \$1,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$2,000,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$300; \$2,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$5,000,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$305; \$5,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$10,000,000,000,000,000,000,000, \$310; \$10,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 and under \$20